IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS WACO DIVISION

6:22-CV-00534-ADA-DTG

JIAXING SUPER LIGHTING
ELECTRIC APPLIANCE CO., LTD. et al,

Plaintiff,

v.

CURRENT LIGHTING SOLUTIONS, LLC,

Defendant.

ORDER ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Before the Court is the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Dereck T. Gilliland. ECF No. 86. The Report recommends that this Court deny Defendant Current Lighting Solution, LLC's Motion to Transfer Case (ECF No. 21). Plaintiff filed a Response on February 10, 2023 (ECF No. 43), Defendant filed a Reply on February 17, 2023 (ECF No. 48), and Plaintiff filed a Sur-Reply on March 1, 2023 (ECF No. 59). Judge Gilliland held a hearing on the Motion to Transfer and orally ruled on April 20, 2023. Defendant filed objections to the Magistrate Judges oral ruling on May 4, 2023. The Report and Recommendation was filed on July 7, 2023.

A party may file specific, written objections to the proposed findings and recommendations of the magistrate judge within fourteen days after being served with a copy of the report and recommendation, thereby securing *de novo* review by the district court. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b); Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b). A district court need not consider "[f]rivolous, conclusive, or general objections." *Battle v. U.S. Parole Comm'n*, 834 F.2d 419, 421 (5th Cir. 1987) (quoting *Nettles v. Wainwright*,

677 F.2d 404, 410 n.8 (5th Cir. 1982) (en banc), overruled on other grounds by Douglass v. United

States Auto. Ass'n, 79 F.3d 1415 (5th Cir. 1996)).

Defendant filed objections on July 12, 2023. ECF No. 89. Plaintiff has not yet filed a

response. The Court has conducted a de novo review of the motion to transfer, the responses, the

hearing transcript, the objections to the oral ruling, the report and recommendation, the objections

and responses to the report and recommendation, and the applicable laws. After that thorough

review, the Court is persuaded that the Magistrate Judge's findings and recommendation should

be adopted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Report and Recommendation of United States

Magistrate Judge Gilliland, ECF No. 86, is ADOPTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendant's objections are OVERRULED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendant's Motion to Transfer (ECF No. 21) is

DENIED in accordance with the Report and Recommendation.

SIGNED this 13th day of July, 2023.

ALAN D ALBRIGHT

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE